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PATENT
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REMARKS

INTRODUCTION:

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the application, as amended. Claims 1-4, 6-11, and 13-14 are pending. Claims 5 and 12 have been canceled, without prejudice.

In the Office Action, the Examiner allowed claims 1-4, 6-11, and 13-14 and rejected claims 5 and 12 under 35 USC 112, second paragraph.

In this response, Applicant has:

- 1) canceled claims 5 and 12.

REJECTION UNDER 35 USC 112, SECOND PARAGRAPH:

In view of the cancellation of claims 5 and 12, the rejections under 35 USC 112, second paragraph, of these claims are deemed moot.

In view of the foregoing amendments and/or remarks, Applicant respectfully submits that the pending claims 1-4, 6-11, and 13-14 are now in condition for allowance and requests reconsideration of the rejections. Allowance of claims 1-4, 6-11, and 13-14 at an early date is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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